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Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the office action of October 21, 2002.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Cancel Claims 1-7 and 15-20, which stand withdrawn from consideration, without
prejudice to pursuing them in one or ore divisional applications.

Amend Claim 9 to be as follows:

9. (Amended.) The method of Claim 8 where the pathologically proliferating cells
comprise pathologic bacteria or fungus and the patient is afflicted with a bacterial or fungal
infection which is mediated or caused by the pathologic bacteria or fungus and the administering
kills the pathologic bacteria or fungus or reduces the rate of proliferation of the pathologic
bacteria or fungus by at least 10%.

[Amend Claim 10 to be as follows:]

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